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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
Friday: Office Closed
Church is open for prayer until 4:30 p.m. daily.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Vigil
Sunday 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m.
6:30 p.m. (Haitian/Creole)

DAILY MASSES

Monday-Friday 12:10 p.m.
Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Mass & Novena
First Friday 8:00 a.m. Mass
Adoration until 12:10 p.m. Mass

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:00-3:45 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m. (upon request)
Tuesday 6:00-6:30 p.m. Anytime by appointment.

Website: www.stjosephgretna.com

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Sunday 10:30 a.m.

DAILY MASSES

Monday 8:30 a.m. & Novena
Tuesday-Saturday 8:30 a.m.
First Friday 8:30 a.m.
Mass Holy Hour & Novena

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:30 p.m.
and anytime by appointment



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Readings for the Week of May 6, 2018

Sunday	Sixth Sunday of Easter Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17
Monday	Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Jn 15:26—16:4a
Tuesday	Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday	Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14; Jn 16:12-15
Thursday	Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Jn 16:16-20
Friday	Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Jn 16:20-23
Saturday	Saints Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; Saint Pancras, Martyr Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10; Jn 16:23b-28
Sunday	The Ascension of the Lord Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13; Mk 16:15-20



Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help is held each Monday at 8:30 a.m. at St. Anthony Church and each Tuesday at St. Joseph Church during Mass at 6:30 p.m.

Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be held at St. Anthony Church on First Friday following the 8:30 a.m. Mass.



In Memoriam

Let us remember to pray for the repose of the souls of **Wilfred "Deacon Wil" Robichaux, Jr. and Peggy Tyler**. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. *Amen.*



COLLECTIONS FOR APRIL 28-29, 2018

ST. JOSEPH

Envelopes	\$2,612.00
Loose Collection	<u>\$2,767.98</u>
Total Collected	<u>\$5,379.98</u>
Budgeted Weekly Expense	\$9,224.51
Net Income [+ or – budgeted expense]	-\$3,844.53

ST. ANTHONY

Will be included in next week's bulletin

COLLECTIONS FOR APRIL 21-22, 2018

ST. ANTHONY

Envelopes	\$ 853.00
Loose Collection	\$ 365.82
Diocesan Priest Retirement	\$1,256.25



At all masses this weekend, we will be taking up the National Collection for The Catholic University of America. The Catholic University of America is unique among universities in the United States. Established by Pope Leo XIII and the U.S. bishops in

1887, it is the national university of the Catholic Church. In addition to alumni who hail from this diocese, Catholic University claims one third of the U.S. bishops and 12,000 priests and religious as alumni. In Washington, D.C., the University provides an education based in the Catholic intellectual tradition to almost 7,000 students through its 12 schools. Your support will enable Catholic University to expand its impact in preparing the next generation of leadership for our Church and nation. You can learn more at: collection.cua.edu.

A second collection for the Maintenance Fund will be taken up at all masses next weekend (May12-13). This monthly collection will be dedicated solely for the maintenance, repairs, or upgrades to our church complexes. Please be as generous as your means will allow.



To the St. Joseph Family:

Food for the Poor wishes to thank you for the welcome you extended to Fr. Thomas Bouterie on our recent visit to your parish. On behalf of our brothers and sisters throughout the Caribbean and Latin America, we thank you for your compassion and care. We are all blessed by and grateful for your generosity.

MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

ST. JOSEPH

Saturday, May 5, 2018

4:00 p.m. – Leta & Sidney Phillips, James K. Gaudet, Ann Connick Stansberry, Charles & Louise Lyons, Peggy Durkes, Christopher Brannon Sweeney, Corinne Ribaul Sweeney, Patsy Grefer, Letha & Al Ehret, Charles Cavanaugh Lyons II, Julia & Michael Dauenhauer, Theresa DiPascal, W. Richard & Helen White, Evelyn Eschete & Raymond Jacomine, Sr., Evelyn Rousselle & George Cosse, Sr., Aileen Cosse Edgecomb, Priscilla Jacomine, Gilbert Cosse, Kenneth Leithman, Ellen Rice, Sheila Rodi Sullivan, Anthony J. Bono, Jr., Carolyn Hornyak

Sunday, May 6, 2018

7:30 a.m. – Dorothea Gelpi

9:30 a.m. – Marvin J. Miller, Felix, Lucille & Eldon Hebert, Charles V. & Philomena Miller, Richard & Mercedes Lehenbauer, Marie Lynn Reine, Josephine Pasateri Weigel, Gerard Putfark, Carmen & Gia Carbo, Mrs. Flo Bourgeois, Theresa DiPascal, Horace & Vernell Soileau, E.J. & Beulah Cambre, Jackie Cambre, Charles & Louise Lyons, Christopher Brannon Sweeney, Corinne Ribaul Sweeney, Mary & Joseph Ribaul, Sr. & Family, Salvador P. Ribaul, Sr., Leon A. Ribaul, Sr., Joseph Ribaul, Jr., Gerald DeLuca, Family of Elaine Catherine Panuski, Family of Destin Thibodaux, Danielle Taylor Jethroe, Edward James McGinnis, Patricia Nolan Strauss, Randolph Joseph Bordlee, J.F. Mike Mole, Margaret Gaspard Dubois, Marilyn Rhea Golman Baham, Margaret Matulich Alforthish, Irvin Frederick “Jiff” Hingle, Jr., Laura Mae Jett Smith Evans, Mary Jane Switzer

11:30 a.m. – Luke LaBruzza, Sr.

6:30 p.m. – For All Parishioners

Monday, May 7, 2018

12:10 – Cheramie, Inguagiato, Popovich Families & George Sanders

Tuesday, May 8, 2018

12:10 – Charles & Louise Lyons

6:30 p.m. – Rudolph Brunet

Wednesday, May 9, 2018

12:10 – Leon A. Ribaul, Sr.

Thursday, May 10, 2018

12:10 – Ralph Goodwyne, Jr.

Friday, May 11, 2018

12:10 – Sr. Mildred Cheramie, D.C., Elzie Shook & William Donahue, Sr.

ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, May 5, 2018

5:00 p.m. – Carol Vignes, Phyllis Hubert, Kenneth Leithman, Janeth Lachmann

Sunday, May 6, 2018

10:30 a.m. – Conversion of Souls, Souls in Purgatory with No One to Pray for Them, Casey W. & Margie K. Jones, Special Intention, Rosalind Williams

Monday, May 7, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Lawrence Kass, Sr., Florence H. Bourgeois

Tuesday, May 8, 2018

8:30 a.m. – For the Unborn Children

Wednesday, May 9, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Charles Cavanaugh Lyons II

Thursday, May 10, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Julia & Michael Dauenhauer

Friday, May 11, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Vera Schexnayder

Saturday, May 12, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Raymond Strohmeyer, Sr.

5:00 p.m. – Jody Anne Breau-Pope, Roland Barrios, Phyllis Hubert, Kenneth Leithman, Janeth Lachmann, Unborn Babies, Souls in Purgatory with No One to Pray for Them

Sunday, May 13, 2018

10:30 a.m. – Vera Schexnayder, Doris Lirette, Mary Strohmeyer, Marie Cox, Lil LaBiche, Joy Bryant, Julia Schonacher, Joan David, Mamie M. Kass, Helen Carpenter, Janeth Lachmann



Baptismal Seminar

For information regarding Baptismal Seminars, please call the St. Joseph Parish Office.

St. Anthony School's Nonpublic School Early Childhood Development Program (NSECD) is open for online applications at www.jeffersonchild.com.

This program provides families the opportunity to send their children to state-approved private preschool. To qualify, families must meet the income requirement. Check out our program to see if you qualify to send your child to our preschool program.



PARISH NEWS

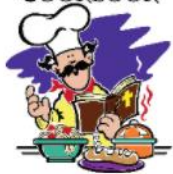
St. Joseph Religious Articles

Members of the St. Joseph Women's Club will staff the St. Joseph Gift Shop before and after all masses this weekend.

Religious Articles are available for purchase before & after masses the second weekend of each month.



OUR CHURCH COOKBOOK



The Mother Church Cookbooks will be available in the St. Joseph Church Gift Shop and St. Anthony Church after all weekend masses through May 5-6 for a \$25.00 cash or check donation. Please make checks payable to St. Joseph Restoration Fund. Consider a *Mother*

Church Cookbook as a **Mother's Day** gift!

Cookbooks will also be available on Saturday, May 12th at two locations (Gretna Market and Art Walk).

Stop By

Within your reach are many books that can open your hearts to spiritual guidance. Stop by and take a look in the *St. Anthony Library* where you surely will find something of interest for you and your children.



**Magnificat Breakfast
Speaker: Kitty Cleveland**

Saturday, May 12th

9:00 a.m. – Noon

Café Hope at Timberlane Country Club

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Please join us at a breakfast for Catholic women of New Orleans Westbank where we will share together in the spirit of gratitude and praise of God. After a meal, there will be a time of prayer for the needs of all present and an opportunity to hear one woman's experience of the transforming love of Christ in her own life. Please plan to come and bring a friend to rejoice in the presence of the Lord.

2018 New Orleans WINE: Catholic Women's Conference



Join women from the greater New Orleans area and across the country for the Archdiocese of New Orleans' second WINE: Catholic Women's

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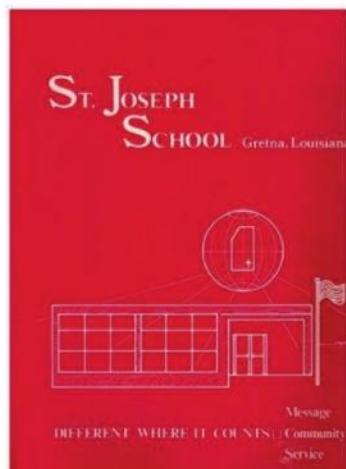
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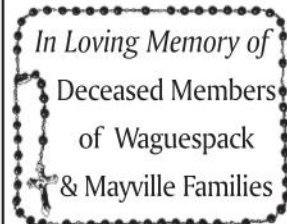
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